I hereby certify that on August 3, 2004, which is the date I am signing this certificate, I am depositing this correspondence and all identified attachments with the U.S. Postal Service, first class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to the Mail Stop - Missing Parts, Commissioner for Parents Washington, D.C.

lune L. Etheridge

PATENT

Applicant: Joshua CORRICK

Serial No.: 10/814,390

Filed: March 30, 2004

Title: Enhanced Bill Acceptor/Dispensor for

Vending Machines

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

Art Unit: 3653

Attorney Docket No.: 41286.00034

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Mail Stop - Missing Parts Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

> RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(B) FILED MARCH 30, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 37 CFR 1.53(b) mailed March 30, 2004 (copy attached), enclosed herewith are the following documents:

- Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney form; and 1.
- 2. Check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the surcharge fee.
- 3. **Executed Assignment**
- Check in the amount of \$40.00 to cover the Assignment fee

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 07-1853 during the pendency of prosecution of this application. Should such additional fees be associated with an extension of time, applicant respectfully requests that this paper be considered a petition therefor. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed for the Deposit Account, should it be needed.

Respectfully submitted,

David B. Abel, Reg. No. 32,394

Attorney for Applicant

Squire, Sanders & Dempsey, LLP 801 South Figueroa, 14th Floor

Los Angeles, CA 90017

Telephone: (213) 689-6565 Facsimile:

(213) 623-4581



David B. Abel, Esq.

Los Angeles, CA 90017

STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

APPLICATION NUMBER FILING OR 371 (c) DATE FIRST NAMED APPLICANT ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER 10/814.390 03/30/2004 Joshua Corrick 41286-00034

SQUIRE, SANDERS & DEMPSEY, LLP

14th Floor 801 South Figueroa **CONFIRMATION NO. 5402**

FORMALITIES LETTER

OC000000012937083

Date Mailed: 06/14/2004

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below. however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity

\$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

Replies should be mailed to: Mail Stop Missing Parts

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria VA 22313-1450

8 130.00 08/10/2004 WABDELR1 00000061 10814390

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.

Customer Service Center
Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202
PART 1 - ATTORNEY/APPLICANT COPY